

MARTIN T. SOFIE SUNSHINE CH. 13

CSO CLAIMS ONLY: August 12th 11:30 am Second Thursday
Lynnwood Elks (425) 776-2171 6620 196th St SW Lynnwood, WA 98037

THIS IS A SPECIAL DATE IN AUGUST for Claims Assist ONLY!!!

- <u>ATTENTION!</u> It's difficult for some of you to travel downtown to meet a National Service Officer. They are very busy, taking in hundreds of new claims every week. SO the chapter decided to have a day to spend the time helping you with your claims/questions. <u>Especially Women Veterans!!!</u> It is CONFIDENTIAL!! Any Veteran welcomed. Come to the Elks <u>August 12th ===NOON and 2:30 PM===Call Gil Loomis (425) 742-1600).</u>
- What to Bring: All VARO decisions and forms; DD214; all military records (whatever you have); any and all medical papers (from VA and any other doctors, no matter where or when); letters from friends or buddies to corroborate your story; all x-rays, CTs, MRI, and anything else you think might help us to determine the facts.
- What We Do For You: Copy your records. Complete the paperwork. Download forms. Write the facts about your injuries in the US Armed Forces. Remember, though, this day is to provide you an avenue to talk with a certified Chapter Service Officer. We are volunteer veterans helping other veterans!!

WE WILL TRY TO PROVIDE SOME SANDWICHES AND CHIPS.

—Julia Sheriden, Chapter Service Officer Supervisor

You served us then; let us serve you now!!

---Chaplain's Corner

As Chaplain of this Chapter I want you to know that I am at your side to help you through whatever life challenges you face. Together we can rebuild your life and set it free from an unfulfilling life to a life of more value and more spirituality.

I'll be in the lounge at 11:00 am if you need to talk. In God's Grace! Chaplain George Smythe 360-659-2919

ALWAYS REMEMBER: "YOUR LIFE HAS VALUE!"



Disabled American Veterans
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Meetings in 2010

Second Thursdays 11:30 AM

Aug. 12th (Claims ONLY)

Sept. 08th Nov. 11th

Oct. 14th

Dec. 10th (Fri)

Dear Provider: August 01, 2010

Please post this notice. It is important that veterans in your area realize we are doing this one-time event for their benefit. We can do all that we can with the papers we are provided. We can review all the VA Regional Office decisions and write up the information, mail that information to the NSO downtown and/or advise the veteran on the next steps. But we need your help passing along this information. Please post this in a visible place or mail it out to those you think will benefit. If a veteran has seen us before and did not get the good result, come back and let us try again. Nothing is impossible unless we never try at all. Even if you feel you should have gotten another medal then we will write the appropriate official. We will also recommend whatever social agency we think you could use.

Sincerely,

Julia Sheriden, Commander Chapter Service Officer Supervisor, (H) (206) 783-8005 Martin T. Sofie Sunshine Chapter 13 14609 Meadow Rd. Lynnwood, WA 98087 (425) 742-1600